

**DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION AND LICENSING
MUSIC, ART, AND DANCE THERAPY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MADISON, WISCONSIN
DECEMBER 9, 2002**

MINUTES

PRESENT: Laurie Farnan, Lynn Kapitan, Nancy Dexter Schabow, and Grace Valentine

EXCUSED: Naomi Berkowitz, Janet Carr, Deborah Thomas, and Dawn Sindloff-Shegonee

STAFF PRESENT: Kimberly Nania PhD; John Schweitzer, Legal Counsel; and Gina York, Program Assistant

GUESTS PRESENT: None

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Kimberly Nania called the meeting to order at 1:10 p.m.

AGENDA

MOTION: Nancy Dexter Schabow moved, seconded by Laurie Farnan to approve the agenda as written. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 24, 2002

Amendment to the Minutes:

- Page 3: After the two sets of motions, first paragraph add name Laurie Farnan after Naomi Berkowitz.

MOTION: Grace Valentine moved, seconded by Nancy Dexter Schabow to approve the minutes of September 24, 2002 as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 12, 2002

MOTION: Nancy Dexter Schabow moved, seconded by Lynn Kapitan to approve the minutes of November 12, 2002 as written. Motion carried unanimously.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Dr. Kim Nania shared a brief update to the Committee regarding the possibility of changes in the Department with Governor-Elect, James Doyle taking office in January 2003. There is nothing definite at this time. The Department will keep the Committee posted of new developments as they become available.

Dr. Nania also shared the numbers of registered art therapists, dance therapists and music therapists both in-state and out-of-state. The following is the breakdown of each category:

TITLE	IN-STATE	OUT-OF-STATE
Art Therapists	50	51
Dance Therapists	9	9
Music Therapists	57	58

The deadline for therapists to be registered is December 31, 2002. All applications must be received and date stamped by that date. Amy Anderson is the DRL credentialing contact. The Committee asked for a copy of the Dance Therapist list and Dr. Nania will have Kim Kaukl provide the list.

PSYCHOTHERAPY BILL – DISCUSSION AND REIVEW OF RULES PERTAINING TO IMPLEMENTATION

John Schweitzer, Legal Counsel made changes to the rule as recommended by the Committee at the November 12, 2002 meeting. All changes from prior meetings have been incorporated into the rule and has been through the public hearing process without complications.

The rules are before the Committee today for final approval and will then will be sent for legislative review.

REVIEW APPLICATION MATERIALS PERTAINING TO MUSIC, ART, AND DANCE THERAPY

Application forms were reviewed by the Committee. Deadline to be licensed for grandfathering in option is June 30, 2003.

The Committee had a lengthy discussion regarding a proper acronym that would accurately reflect the individuals license and area of specialty. It was decide that the official acronym will be specialty first, then Therapist, then Registered, then Licensed. For example an Art Therapist will identify themselves as ATRL, music MTRL and Dance DTRL.

OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS

There was a brief discussion regarding future meeting dates for 2003 for the Committee. At this time tentatively have set a meeting sometime in September 2003 or on an as needed basis.

JURISPRUDENCE EXAM

The Committee discussed briefly the availability of the jurisprudence exam for MADT which will be a mail-home, open-book exam and is now available.

ADJOURNMENT

The Committee informally adjourned at 2:18 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: September, 2003
(Tentative)